THEME AND VARIATIONS

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Sorrow covers the earth as a mantle,
For war convulses the nations;
But righteousness cannot die,
Nor can the beautiful perish.

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THEME.

Moderato Maestoso.

mp mf f p

mp mf f ff

rit. a tempo p ff Adagio mp mf

VAR. I.

con moto

mf

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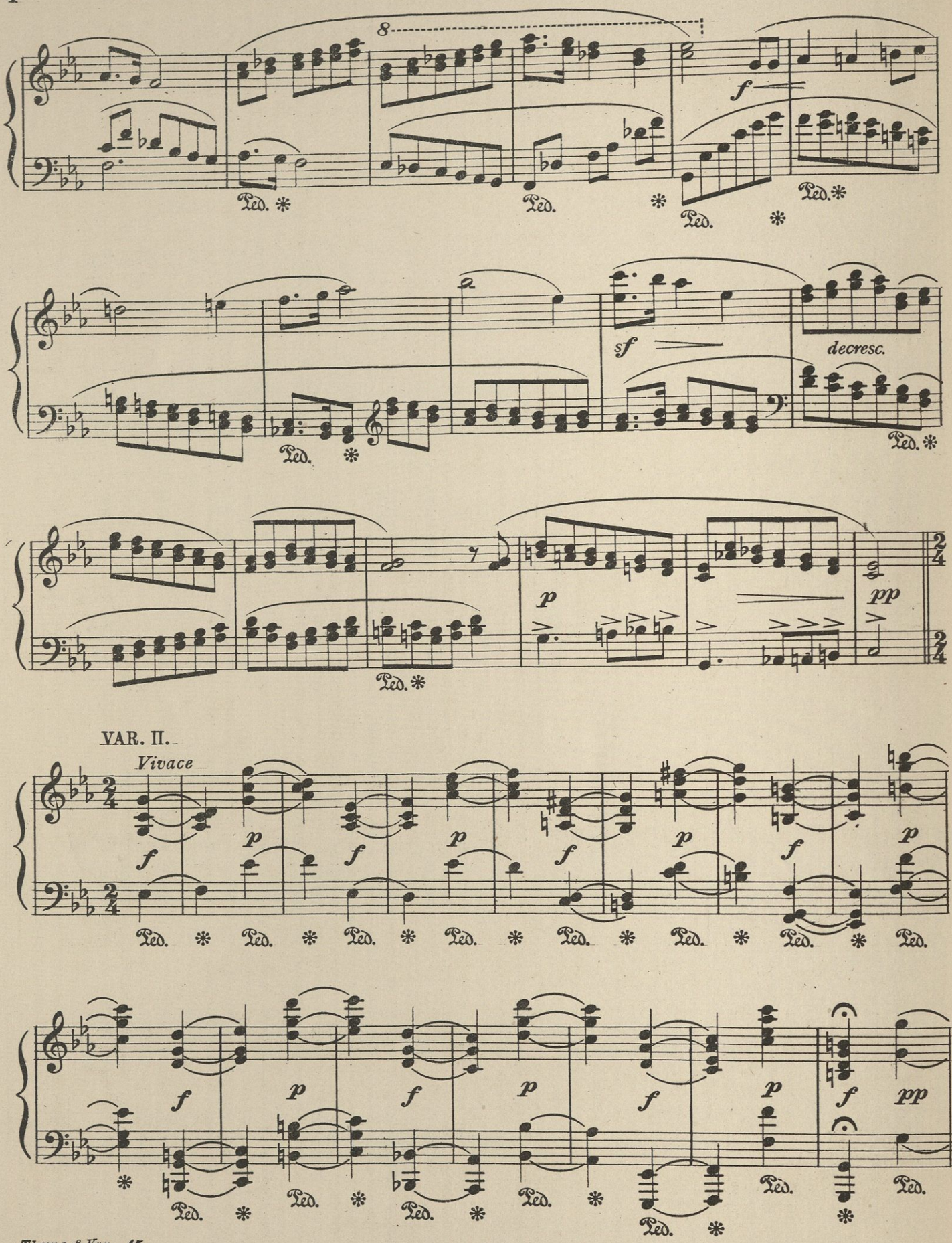
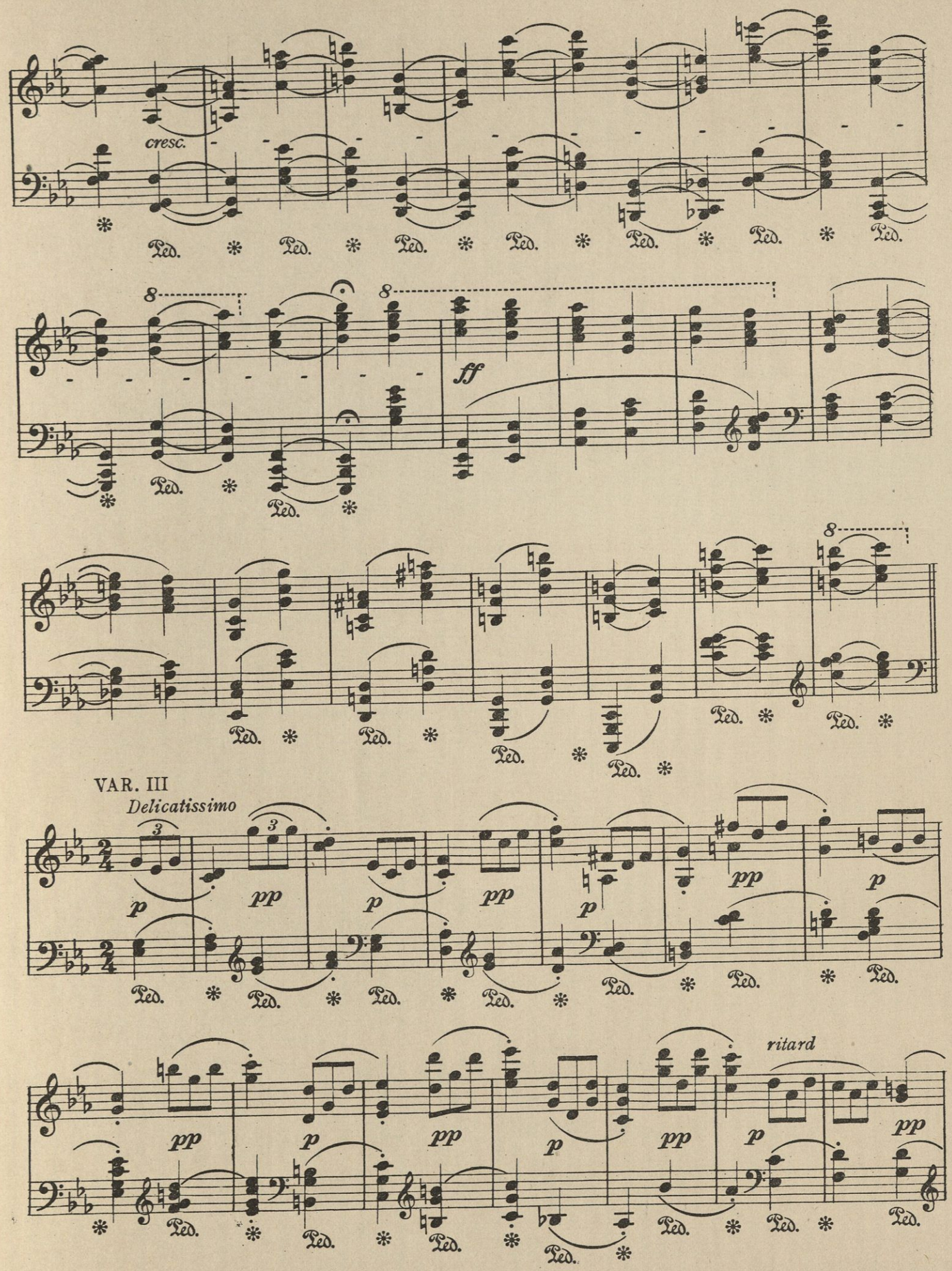
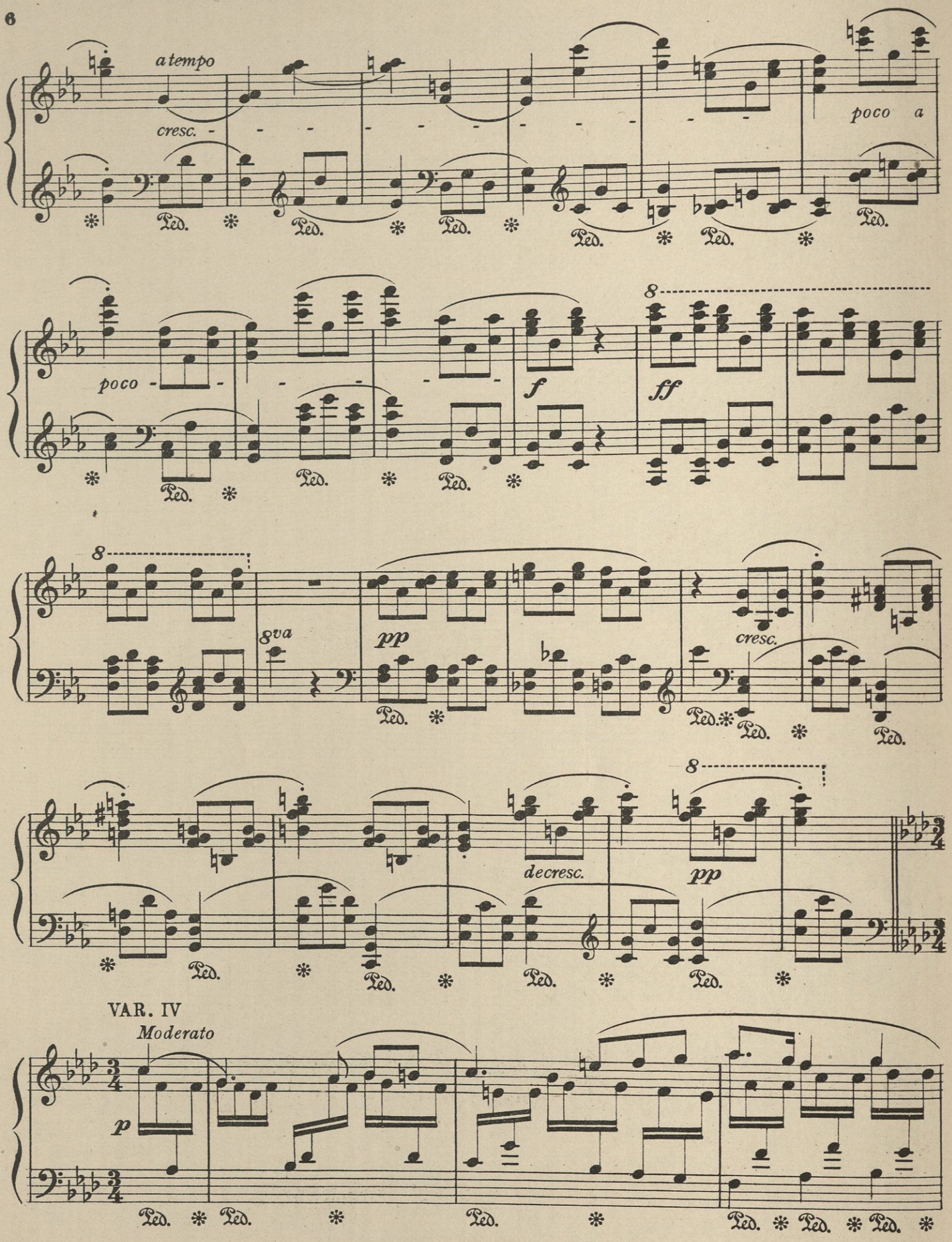
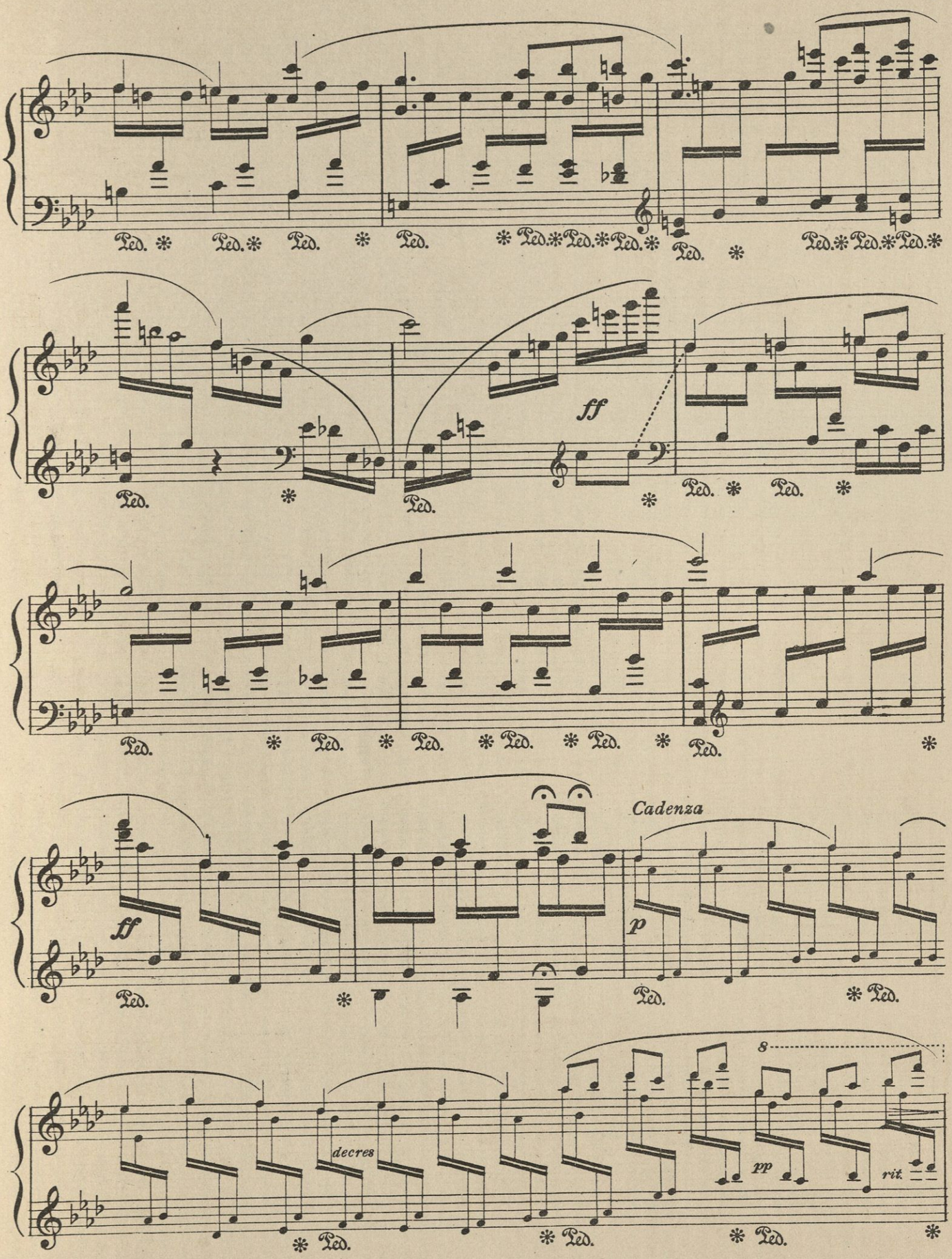
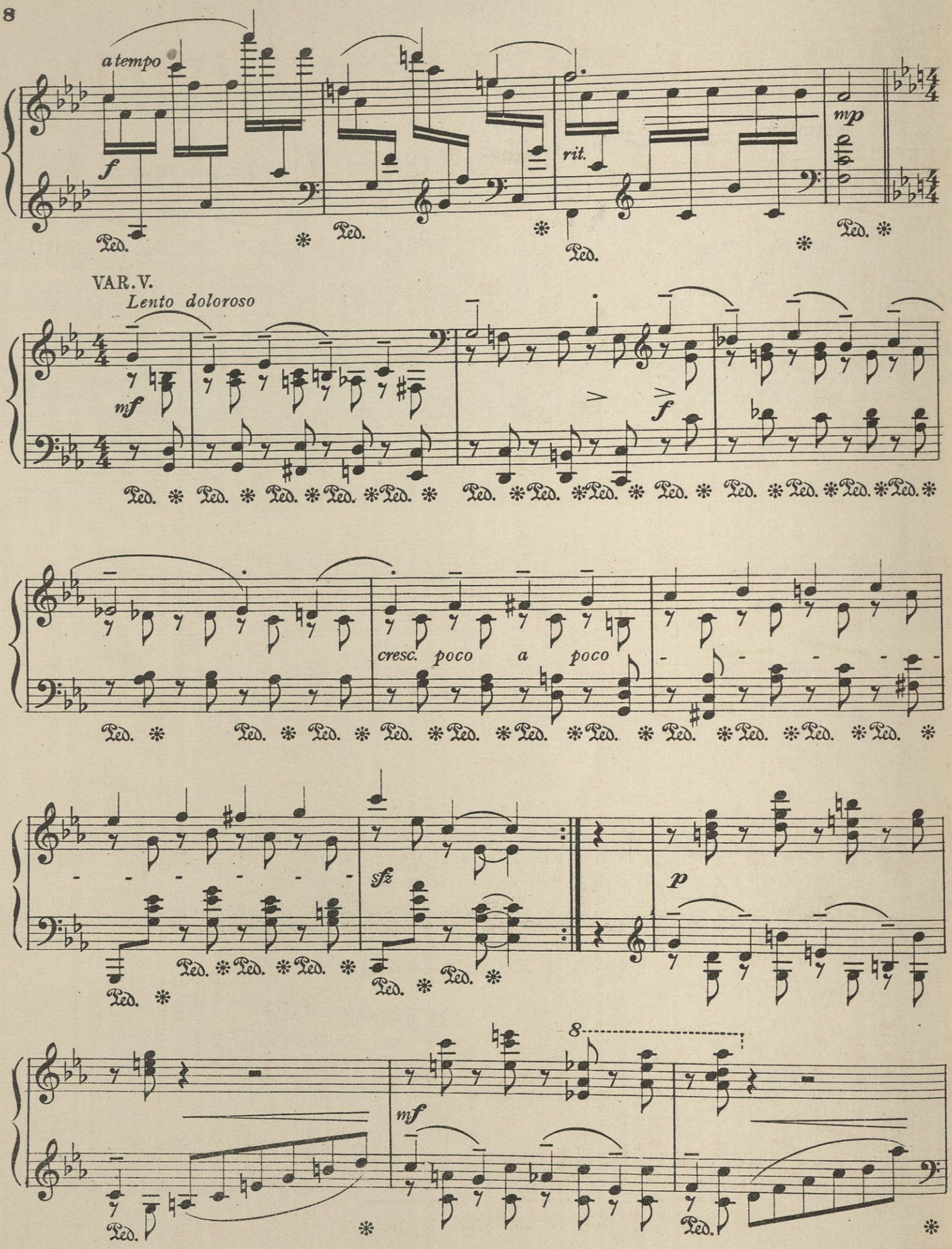
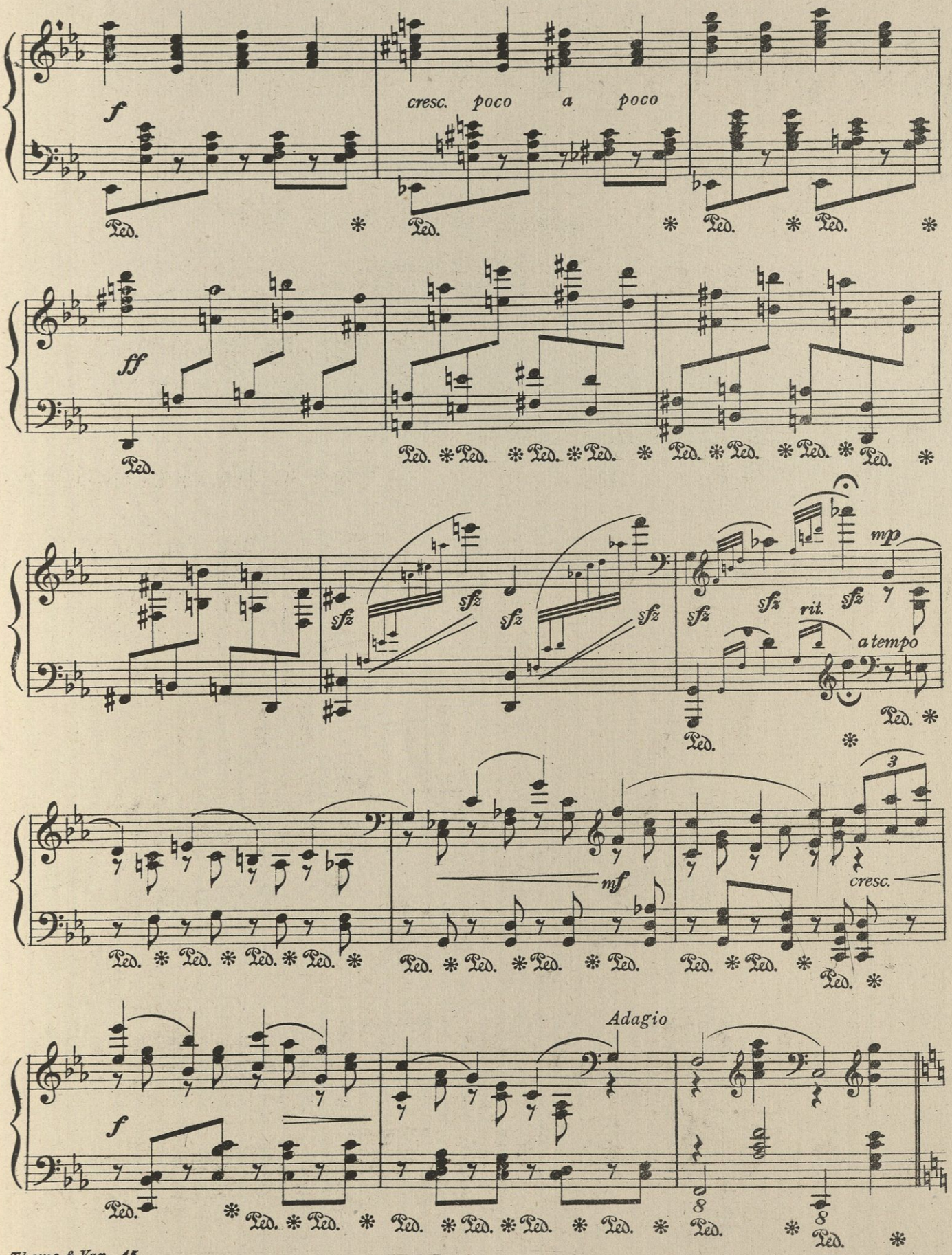

8
f
Ped.
sf
decresc.
p
pp
VAR. II.
Vivace


cresc.
ff
VAR. III
Delicatissimo
p
pp
ritard


a tempo
cresc.
poco a
poco
f
ff
8va
pp
cresc.
decresc.
pp
VAR. IV
Moderato
p


Ped.
ff
Cadenza
p
decres
8
pp
rit.

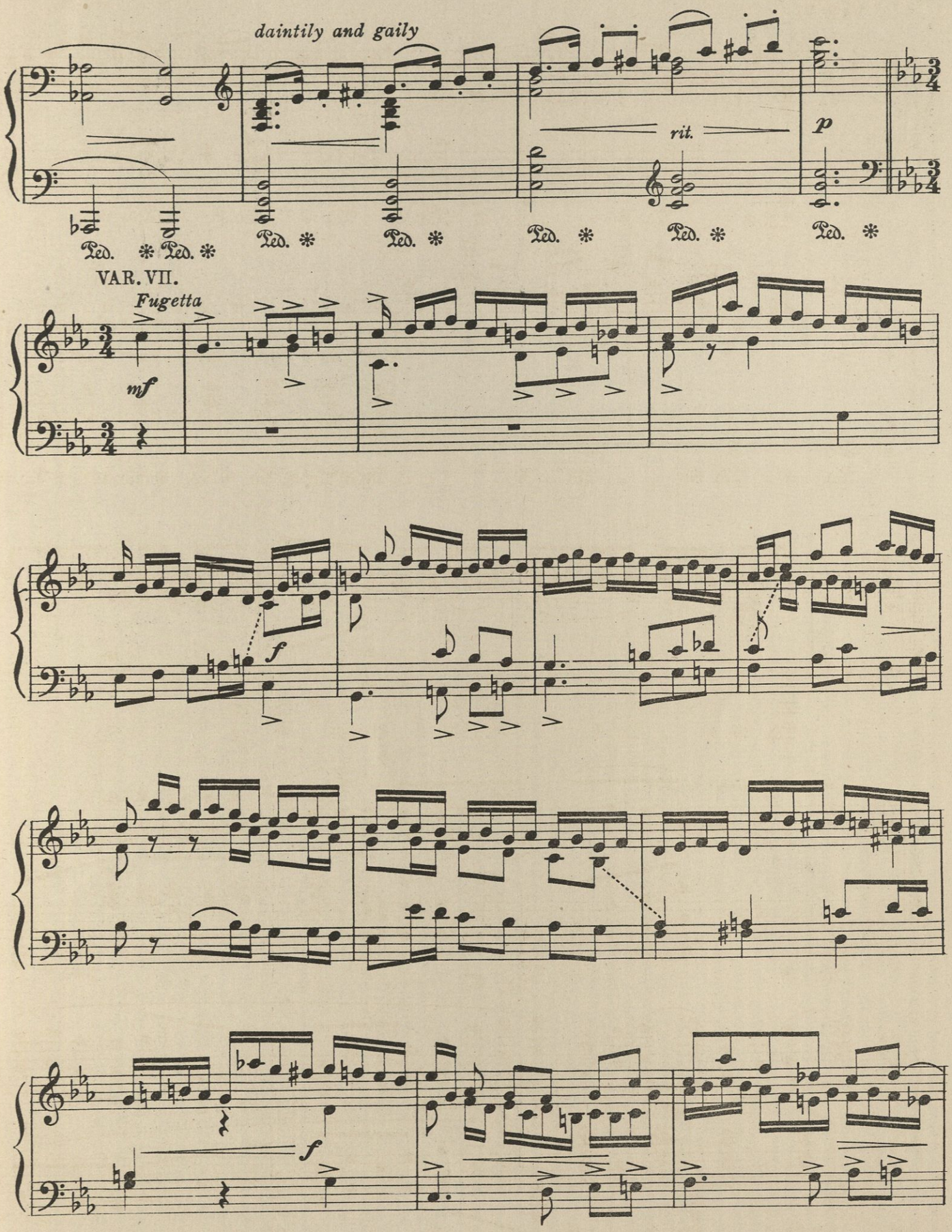

a tempo
f
rit.
mp
VAR. V.
Lento doloroso
mf
f
cresc. poco a poco
sfz
p
mf
8

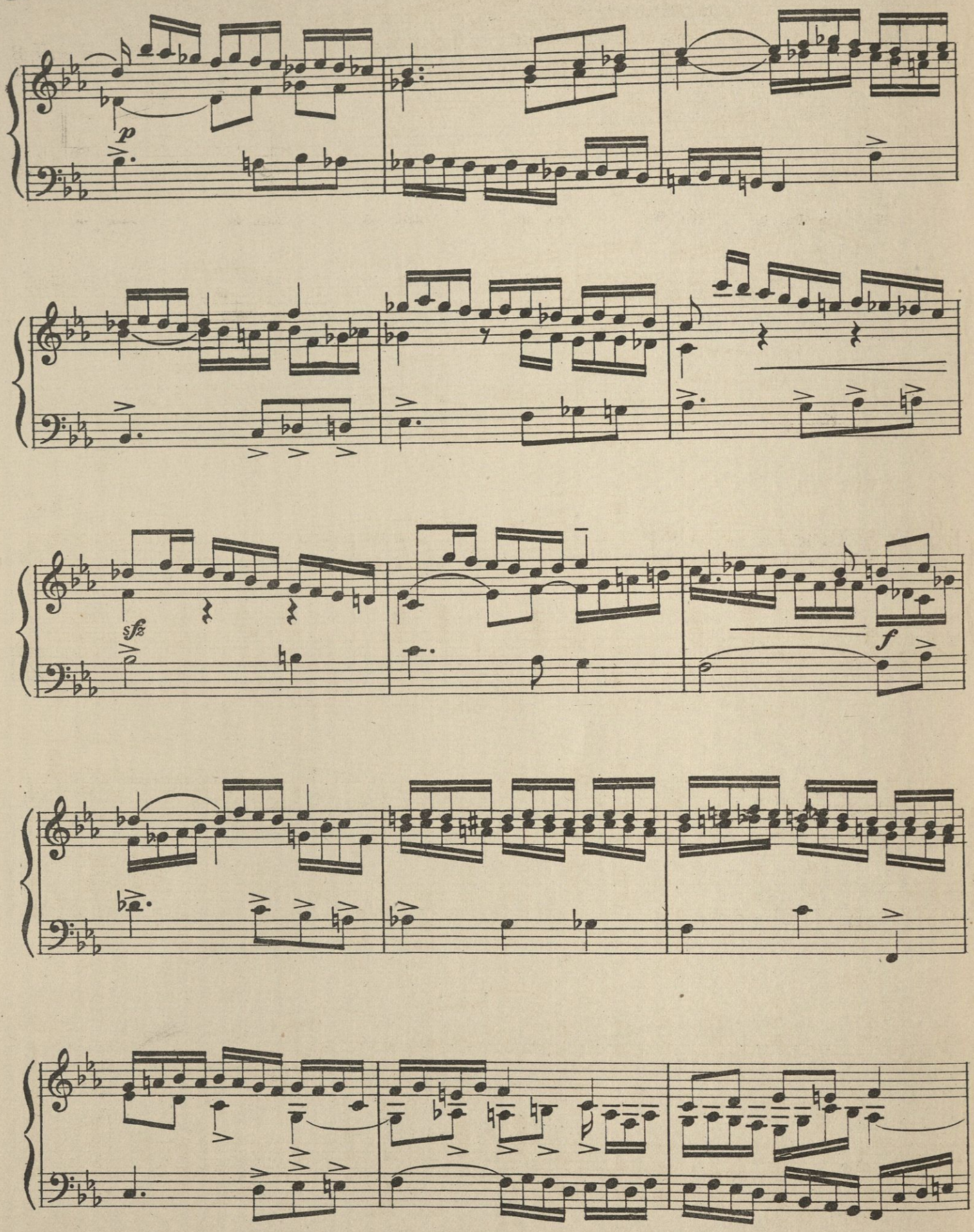

f
cresc. poco a poco
ff
sfz
mp
rit.
a tempo
mf
cresc.
Adagio

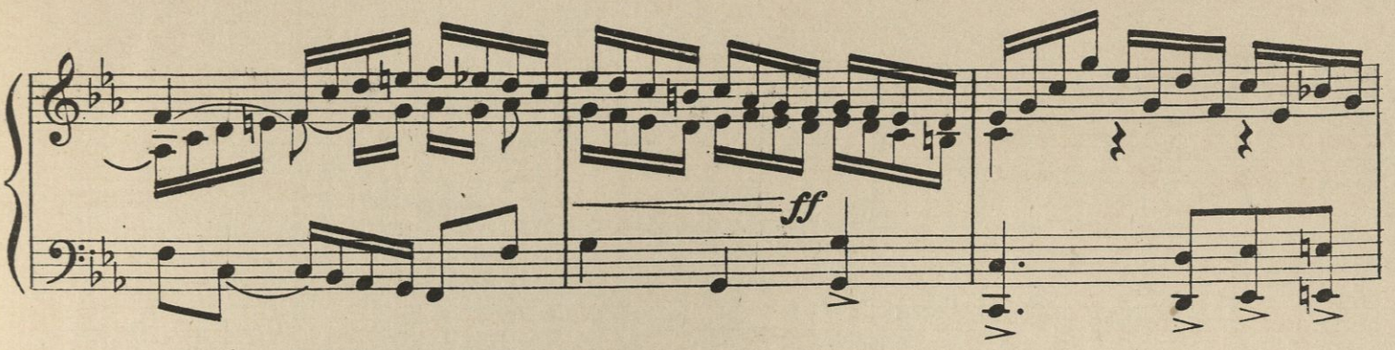
VAR. VI.

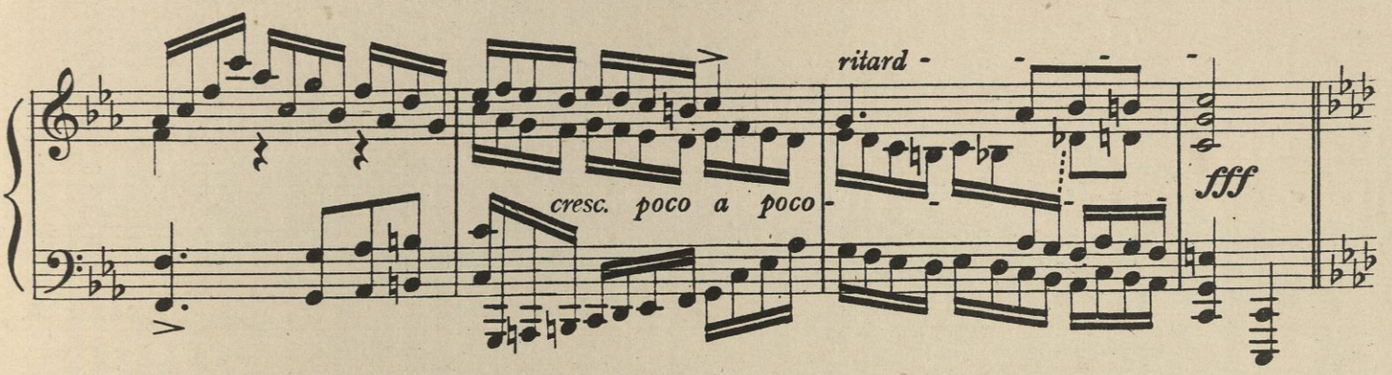
Gaily

ff with breadth


daintily and gaily
rit.
p
Ped. * Ped. *
VAR. VII.
Fugetta
mf
f
f

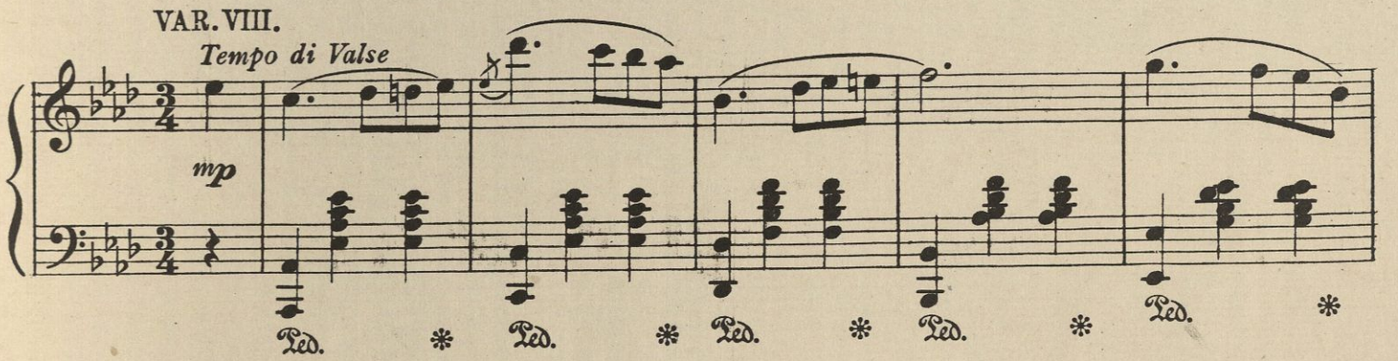

p
sfz
f

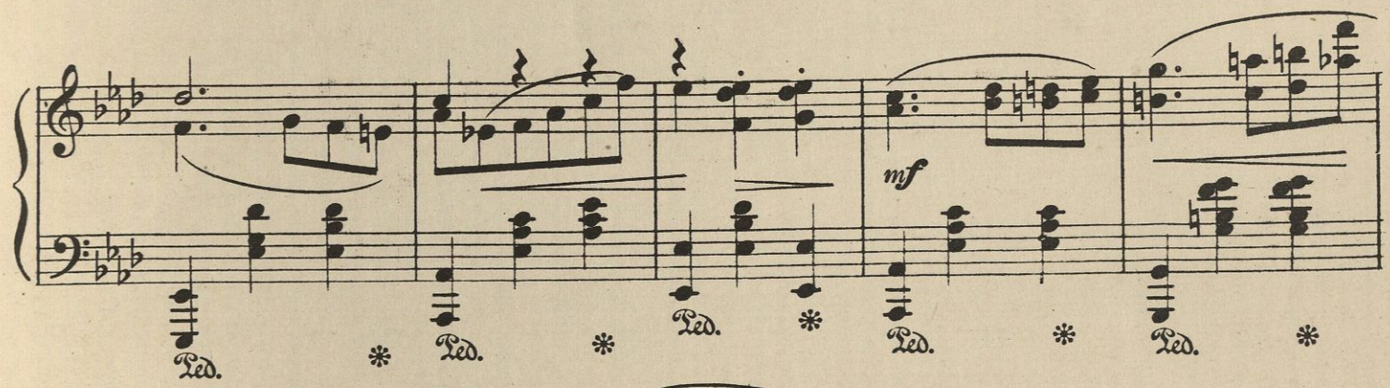


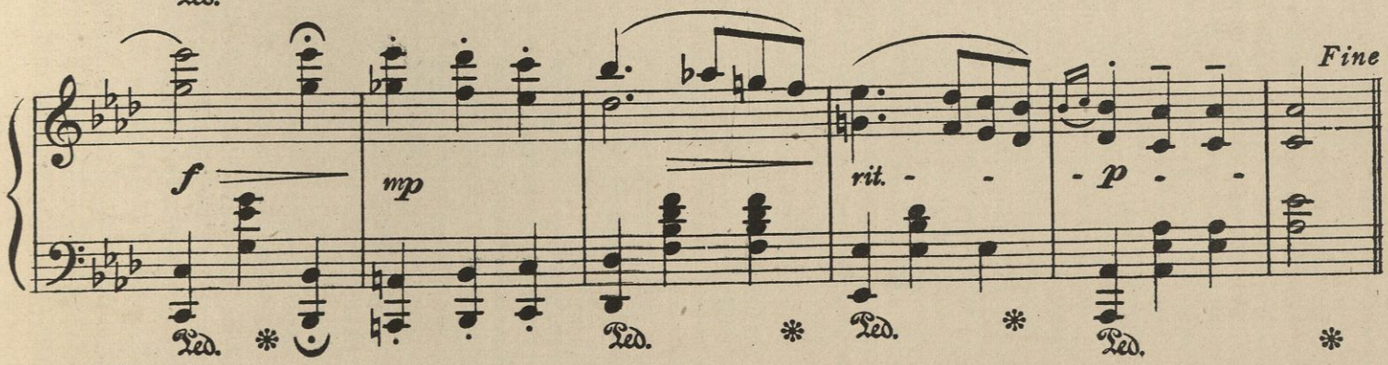


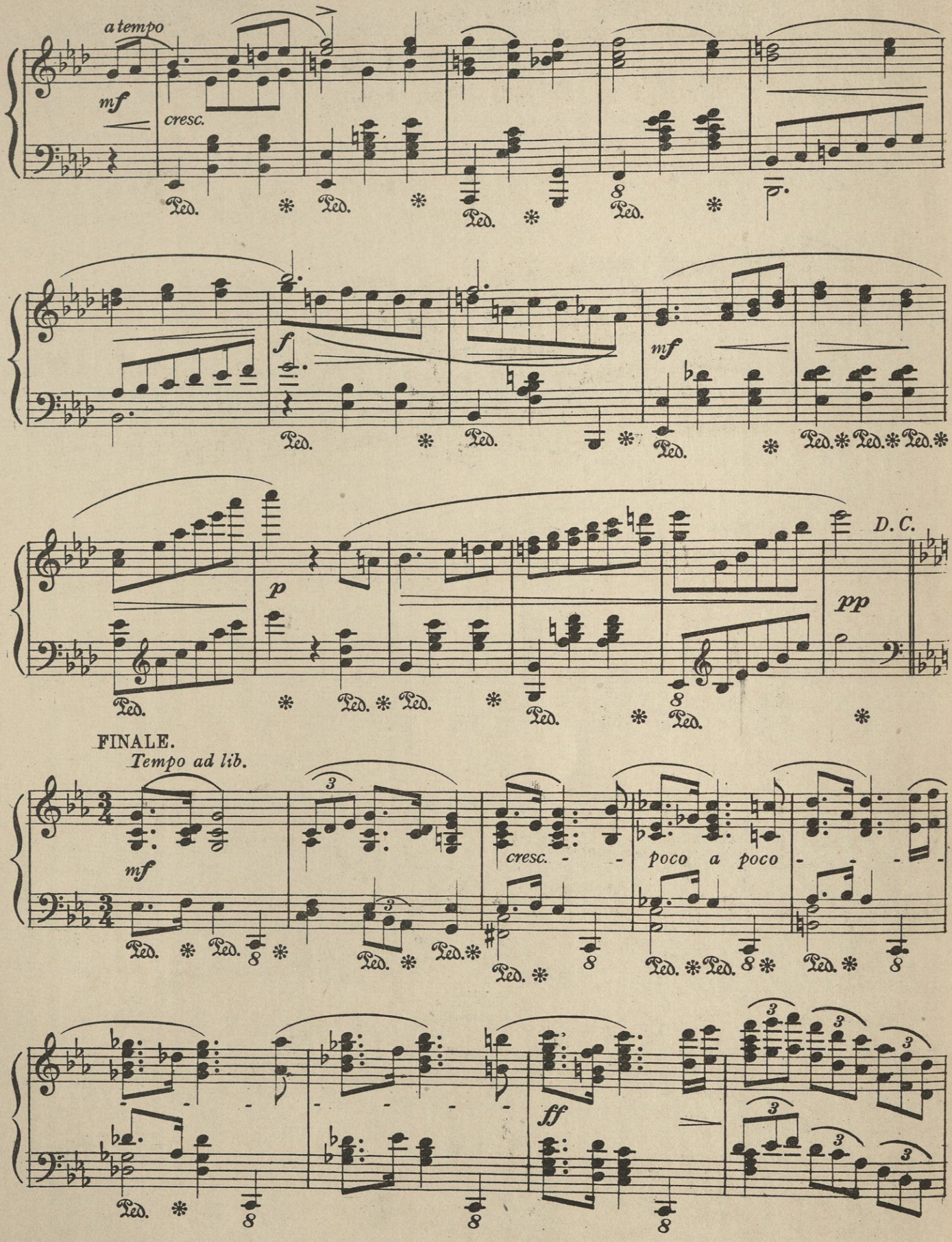
VAR. VIII.

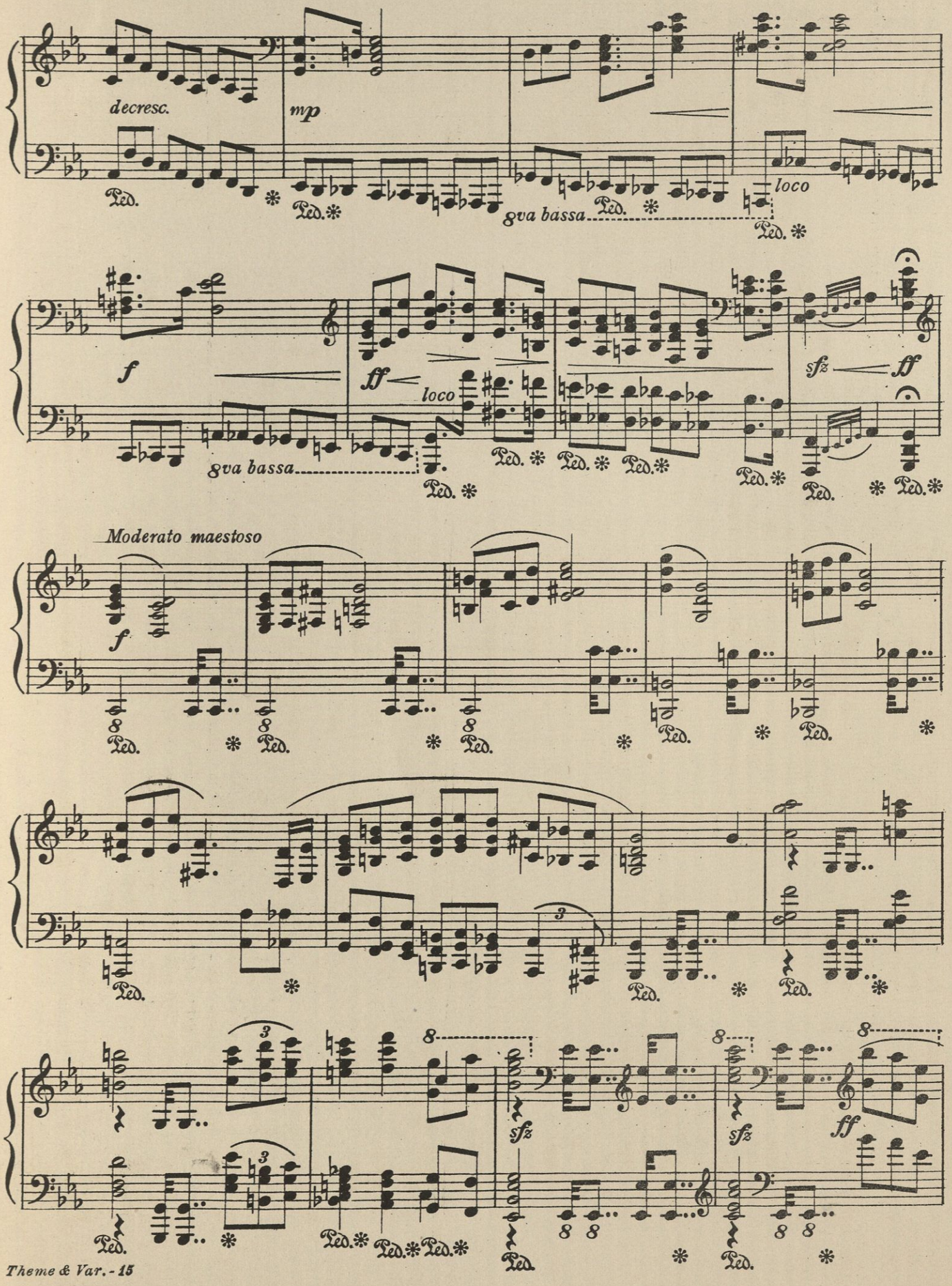
Tempo di Valse

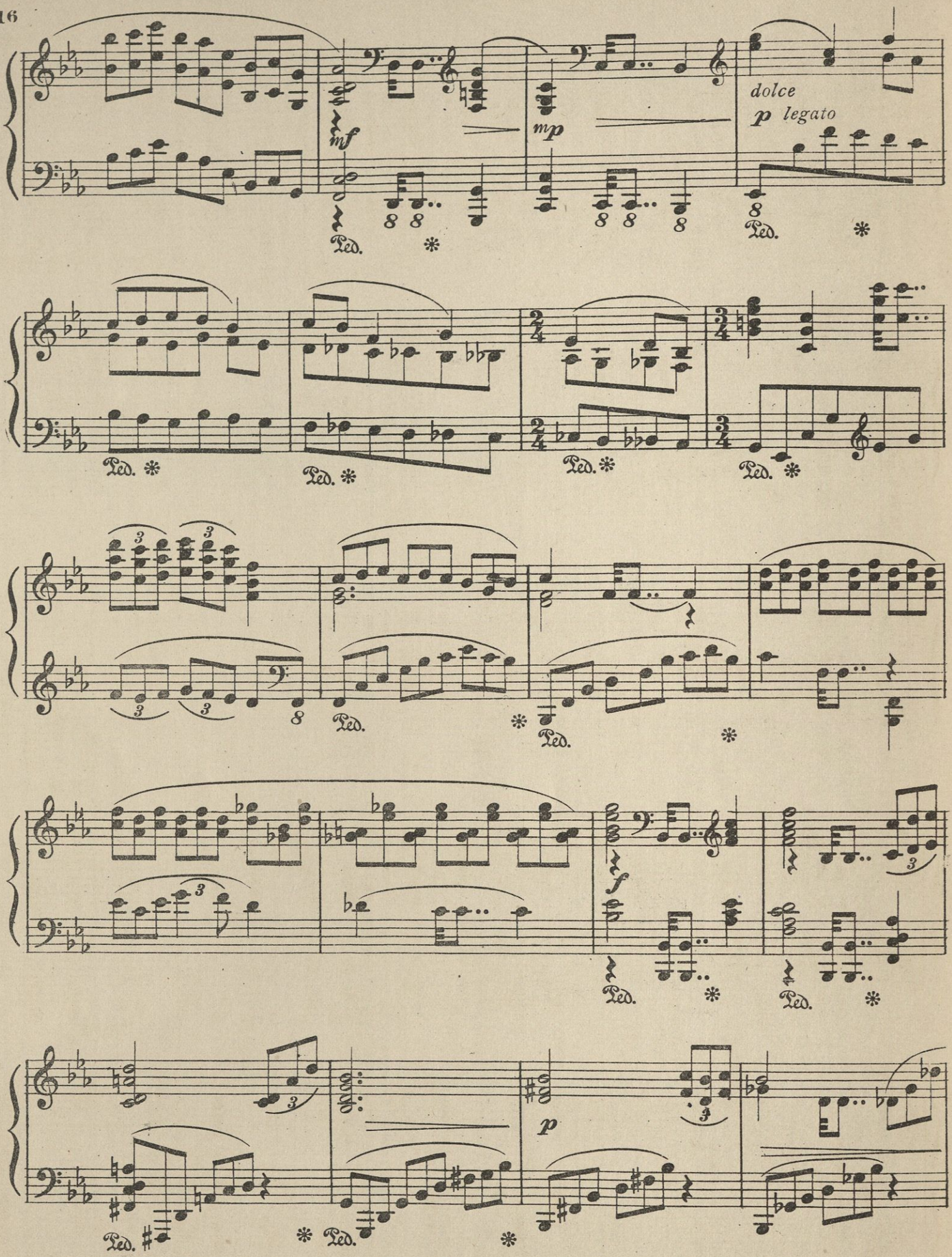







a tempo
mf
cresc.
f
mf
p
D.C.
pp
FINALE.
Tempo ad lib.
mf
cresc.
poco a poco
ff


decresc.
mp
8va bassa
loco
f
ff
loco
8va bassa
sfz
ff
Moderato maestoso
f
sfz
sfz
ff


mf
mp
dolce
p legato
Ped.
p

pp
8va basso
8va basso
mf
accel.
poco a poco
ff
decresc.
mp
p
pp
molto rit.
ppp